

SHE'S A SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.

Blue Busselle, of the Board of Lady Managers of the World's Fair.

Miss Mary Elma Busselle, of Newark, N. J., is the sergeant-at-arms of the board of lady managers of the World's Columbian exposition. She was born in New York city, and is a descendant of the French on both sides of the house.

Miss Busselle received her education in the public schools of New York city, the Leonard institute, at Florida, N. Y., and the Morris Female institute, at Morristown, N. J. She is a lady who



MARY ELMA BUSSELLE.

possesses qualities that will enable her to fill her office well, being energetic, active and untiring. She is of medium height, with a plump figure, blue eyes and an animated manner. She is one of the many live women who are working hard for the success of the women's building in the great exhibit.

Miss Busselle was first elected to hold her office for the executive committee only, but about a year ago was appointed to act with reference to the entire board of lady managers.

WOMAN'S WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

The G. O. M.'s Pronouncements Against Woman Suffrage.

With that superior smack which only an Englishman can give to his utterance on the woman question, the editor of the London Speaker, Mr. Gladstone's own private organ, congratulates the Liberal party of Great Britain that by means of Mr. Gladstone's letter denouncing woman suffrage it has been delivered from a danger that was really threatening. Now that the G. O. M. has thus snuffed out the troublesome female, the Speaker is sure we shall hear no more of woman suffrage, and the Liberal party will sail serenely on to victory. Hold on, Mr. Speaker! Are you aware that a woman never adopts the unpopular advocacy of woman suffrage until she has been convinced by investigation and mature deliberation that it is the right thing? Once committing herself to this unpopular side, she sticks to it. Are you aware that in Great Britain both parties are coming to depend more and more on women's aid in carrying elections; that those women are being drawn more and more into politics, and this political education opens their eyes so rapidly that they are steadily being converted to the faith of the ballot for women? This is true both of the Primrose league, which is the conservative ladies' organization, and of the Women's Liberal league. Therefore, when the G. O. M. writes the pompous and insulting letter against woman suffrage, he gives a deliberate slap in the face to some of the Liberal party's most influential friends and the ablest women in England. It is not in human nature not to resent such an insult. The result will be that many of those ladies will withdraw their influence and enthusiasm entirely from the Liberal party and Gladstone. They will work against him and it with might and main. We commend to the G. O. M. that old American story of the buffalo bull that tried to butt a railway engine off the track.

A lady tells us in Eleanor Kirk's "Idea" that she was one day standing in a dry goods establishment when she heard the proprietor exclaim with an oath, "I wish those blasted old women would not come to me for work." Then he remarked further that there was an aged friend of the feminine gender. The writer turned and was surprised to see that the object of his anathema was a good looking woman of forty. Well, there is no help for it. Men are men. The only way is for every girl who is not a Vanderbilt or an Astor or the daughter of a sleeping car porter to learn some good paying occupation early in her youth, stick to it and lay up money. Then she need not fear the poorhouse when she is forty.

Helen Gardner, author of "Is This Your Son, My Lord?" has published another book, this time a volume of short stories called "Pushed by Unseen Hands." It is a study of heredity and social conditions, and will be translated and published also in Germany. Dr. Spitzka, the eminent authority on mental diseases, tells us that she has dealt with her subject in a way that he had only believed possible to a specialist. Miss Gardner has in a marked degree the faculty of making scientific topics interesting to the ordinary reader.

The Psychological Science congress, to be held during the World's fair at Chicago, has for its chairman Colonel John C. Dunlop, editor of The Religio-Philosophical Journal, and for its vice chairman Professor Elliott Cress, of the Smithsonian Institution, Washington. Among members of its advisory council are Rev. Heber Newton, Rev. Robert Collier, Professor James of Harvard, Rev. Minot J. Savage of Boston, Mrs. J. C. Croly (Jenny June), Frances Willard and Lady Somerset. All very well, but why do I mention it here? Because, of more than a hundred congresses to be held at Chicago during the World's fair, this on psychological science is the only one that has women as members of its advisory board. See?

Working girls are exactly as virtuous and respectable as the daughters of millionaires, and I am glad to see that the cruel and slanderous attempts to make them out otherwise receive deserved rebukes.

HAMILTON A FREE TRADER.

Congressman William L. Wilson has an editorial in the St. Louis Republic of May 10 in which he indignantly denies that the patriots of postrevolutionary times were all protectionists, and credits Jefferson, Madison and even Hamilton as free traders. The father of our protective system a free trader? Is there no limit to the audacity of the Columbia?

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From Sunday to Monday, when he is in England, Labouchere usually retires to his country house on the banks of the Thames, at Twickenham. Every summer he gives a lawn party to which all fashionable London goes. It was at one of these parties that Labby delivered himself of the appended joke. Said a visitor: "Why, what a splendid place you have here, Mr. Labouchere. Your lawn right on the river. Just think of it!" "Yes," he replied; "we have the lawn on the river in the summer and the river on the lawn in the winter. What more could we want?"—Argonaut.

Shakespeare Up to Date.



"A plague o' both your houses."—Romeo and Juliet.

Modern Civil Engineering.

The man who always figures out results and tabulates statements was nosing around the platform, when he ran into an engineer whose locomotive was resting on the siding. He pumped him awhile on railroading, and they finally got to the subject of speed. "Speed is all right," said the engineer, "but it ain't everything it looks."

"What do you mean by that?" asked the figure man.

"Well, I mean that the time made between places ain't always according to the distance. For instance, this division I'm running on is ten miles shorter than when I came here three years ago."

The figure man looked surprised.

"It's done, you see," went on the engineer, "by shortening the road. They built at first in a hurry, picking out the easiest places and that sort, and then afterward they began taking in curves and going through hills and so on, making it shorter every year. Why, the distance is forty miles less between Chicago and St. Joe, Mo., than it used to be."

"How long ago, say?" inquired the figure man with great interest, taking out his pencil and paper.

"About four years ago, I guess," ventured the engineer.

"Um—um—let me see," said the figure man, calculating. "At present St. Joe, Mo., is about 200 miles southwest of Chicago, and if they keep on shortening the distance at the rate you mention, say for fifty years, St. Joe will have moved up somewhere in the neighborhood of Gladwin county, Mich. I guess I'll make a note of that. You don't care if I use your name, do you?"

But the engineer did, and the way he did was reprehensibly impolite, and the figure man walked off down the platform and tackled the baggage-master.—Detroit Free Press.

Parental Foresight.

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